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Public Notice: Proposed No Further Action Determination

Jaco Oil Company Property 410 North Tehama Street Willows, CA

The Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Board) invites public comment regarding the intent of the Board to grant regulatory closure for the leaking underground storage tank (UST) case at the Jaco Oil Company Property located at 410 North Tehama Street in Willows, California (Site).

Between approximately 1965 and 1981, the Site operated as a fueling service station. In 1981, Jaco Oil Company (Jaco), acquired the Site property and removed five USTS between 1984 and 1987. In March 1990, Jaco assessed soil and groundwater at the Site and discovered petroleum hydrocarbons in groundwater. Between 2017 and 2021, Jaco evaluated petroleum hydrocarbon impacts in groundwater, soil and soil vapor by collecting samples. The petroleum hydrocarbon plume extent in groundwater is limited to approximately the property boundary.

Based on Site data, HerSchy Environmental, Inc. (HerSchy) prepared a request for regulatory closure on behalf of the Jaco, the Site property owner. In that request, HerSchy indicates that Site data meet the closure criteria presented in the State Water Resource Control Board's Low-Threat Underground Storage Tank Case Closure Policy.

Central Valley Water Board staff reviewed the request for regulatory closure and, based on the data compiled to date, believe there is merit to this request. As such, a public participation comment period that allows interested parties to comment on the proposed case closure is being conducted. This Public Notice is being provided to you because your property, place of residence, or work is located within approximately 200 feet of the Site as shown on the attached map. After August 9, 2021, Central Valley Water Board staff intends to complete its closure review process and close this former leaking UST case.

Public Comment Period: August 9, 2021 through October 13, 2021

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Additional information is available on the <u>State Water Resources Control Board's Geotracker</u> <u>website</u> (http://geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/).Please contact Kyle Johnson with the Central Valley Water Board if you have any comments/questions regarding the Jaco Oil Company Property release, the cleanup activities at the site, or any of the information in this Fact Sheet:

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Notice to the Hearing Impaired

TDD users can obtain information about the Site by using the California State Relay Service (800) 735-2929 to reach the Public Participation Specialist. Ask them to contact the Central Valley Water Board at (916) 464-3291 regarding the proposed "No Further Action" determination for the Jaco Oil Company Property Site.

Location of Site

